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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Philip E. Thorpe and Sophia Ran

Serial No.: 10/620,850

Filing Date: July 15, 2003

For: Selected Antibody Compositions and

Methods for Binding to Aminophospholipids

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: Yao, L.

Atty. Dkt. No.: 4001.003082

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICIAL ACTION DATED MAY 16, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the first Official Action dated May 16, 2006 ("the Action"), the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following response and to consider the remarks therein. The response is timely filed with a petition for extension of time and the appropriate fee. The response and accompanying documents confirm that all rejections are overcome and rejoinder of all claims, re-examination and reconsideration is respectfully requested on this basis.